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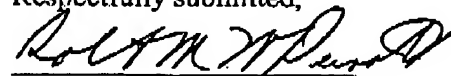
Sir:

The following remarks are submitted in response to an amendment that was proposed by the Examiner in a telephone conversation on 31 August 2004.

The Examiner has objected to the term "display component" in the claims. In the interest of advancing prosecution in this case, the applicants herein agree to an Examiner's amendment that replaces the term "display component" with "display element", which is used throughout the applicants' specification.

The applicants respectfully maintain that this change does not change the intended scope of the original claims, as the terms "component" and "element" are substantially synonymous.

Respectfully submitted,



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